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LOCAL ITEMS.

Selling, Hanson & Co.'s Price List
(Corrected Weekly.)

Oats No. 2, white, per bushel, 42 cents.
Hay, No. 1 timothy, per ton, \$15.00.
Straw, per ton, 12.00.
Raw feed, No. 2, per ton, 21.00.
Manure, per ton, 17.00.
Mayflower roller patent, per barrel, 5.50.
May flour, roller mill, per barrel, 3.25.
Wheat, per barrel, \$1.50.
Excelsior flour, per barrel, 4.00.
Duckwheat flour, per barrel, \$2.50.
Extra No. 1 flour, per barrel, 8.50.
Mest flour, per barrel, 12.75.
Rough hard, per barrel, 11.00.
Hann sugar, per barrel, 11.00.
Brookfield bacon, per pound, 12 cents.
Mince meat, per pound, 10 cents.
Chestnut sides, per pound, 24 cents.
S. C. pork, per pound, 8 cents.
Plate beef, per pound, 6 cents.
Dried beef, per pound, 11 cents.
Choice dry butter, per pound, 21 and 35.
Fresh eggs, per dozen, 25 cents.
O. G. Java, ground, per pound, 35 cents.
Mocha, ground, per pound, 38 cents.
B. C. & Co.'s Mexican coffee per lb., 33 cents.
B. C. & Co.'s Arabica coffee per lb., 33 cents.
Plants Golden Rio, 25 cents per pound.
Teas, green, per pound, 25 to 30 cents.
Sugar, yellow, per pound, 4 cents.
Sugar, Extra C, per pound, 7 cents.
Sugar, granulated, per pound, 8 cents.
Sugar, cut loaf, per pound, 9 cents.
Sugar, powdered, per pound, 10 cents.
Oil, waterwhite, per gallon, 35 cents.
Potatoes, per bushel, 45 cents.
Beans, hard, per bushel, 1.60.
Peanut, per bushel, 1.75.
Syrup, maple, per gallon, 1.00.
N. O. molasses, per gallon, 60 cents.
Molasses, per gallon, 30 cents.

For Job Work of all kinds call at the
AVALANCHE office.

The Board of Supervisors are in ses-
sion this week.

The primary department of school
will not be open till Wednesday morn-
ing.

This is a Week of Prayer with the
members of the M. E. Church, and
they have services every evening.

For farmer's butter, warranted fresh,
go to W. H. James.

The services at the M. E. Church on
Sabbath evening, during the winter,
will commence at half past six o'clock.

For Standard Oysters, best in the
market, go to W. H. James. Price 25
cents.

Lee Kinney well known in this vic-
inity, died at the home of his sister at
Fremont, Ind., a few days ago.

Miss Bell Carson, of Hudson, has
been engaged to teach the primary de-
partment of our school, in place of
Miss Alma Mansfield, resigned. She
will begin next Wednesday.

The finest "Carrier's address" which
ever reached the AVALANCHE office
came this year from the Detroit Jour-
nal office. It is artistic in every sense.

The barber-shop will not be opened
on Sunday after the 9th inst. Here-
after Sunday shavers will have to get
their work done on Saturday, or wait
until Monday. Good move.

James has just received a large
stock of sample packages of Warner's
"Safe Kidney Cure Yeast." Call and
get one.

The Detroit Tribune sends out a
beautiful "Carrier's New Year Greet-
ing" which reaches near perfection in
topography and is worthy the leading
paper in the state.

MARRIED.—In Gaylord, Dec. 25th,
by Rev. W. H. Miller, Mr. Asa R.
Smith, of Jack Pine, Crawford coun-
ty, Mich., to Miss Nellie Martin, of
Ypsilanti.—Osego Co. News.

Melvin E. Hagerman, of Beaver
Creek, welcomed a brother and his
family from Jackson County, last
week, who have come to stay.

The G. L. and P. A. Association ad-
joined their regular meeting to next
Wednesday evening, when it will be
held at the office of Salling, Hanson
& Co.

Salling, Hanson & Co. are building
an addition to the hardware depart-
ment of their store of 38 feet in length.

Grayling is walking to the front in
the way of fast horses. Three flyers
over the ice, or would have been if
Phil's pacer had not gone so rapidly as
to throw off three shoes in one heat.

Our population was increased five
last week, by the arrival of Mr. No-
nan and family from East Sogahaw,
who have moved into the Kilbourne
house on Peninsular Avenue.

Supervisor Jackson of Ball town-
ship, has contracted to cut and bank
600,000 feet of logs for Messrs. Ren-
ington & Smith, on Sections 5 and 6,
of 25 1st west.

Ex-Sheriff Hum is moving into the
new house erected by S. Hempstead,
on Peninsular Avenue, and Sheriff
McCallough takes possession of the
three story scare-crow, called by cour-
tesy, courthouse and jail.

A. C. Wilcox is running a camp of
nine men, who are hauling more
lime than many of larger pretensions.
By the way, we understand that
Christmas was duly celebrated at
their home by the family and friends
with a bounteous Christmas tree, oys-
ter supper, etc.

About two hundred people assem-
bled last Saturday to see Chief Shop-
penagous and his braves in the great
Buffalo dance, which was adjourned
to the Opera House. But few of the
braves were present, and there would
have been much better fun, as it
was "H. H. H."

E. N. Salling, Esq., is in town on a
business mission.

Last Saturday a constable from
Ionia, arrived here in search of John
Gregg, who was located at Whetstone's
camp. Sheriff McCullough went out
with him and captured the man who
was wanted for criminal assault on a
thirteen year old girl last fall. A good
catch, if capital punishment was in
vogue.

Ed. Sawyer and Wm. Ney passed a
United States one dollar bill which had
been raised to a ten on Chas. Smith,
one evening last week. Sheriff Hum
was on the watch at the night train,
and as it was pulling out saw them
running to catch it. He caught the
last car and had the train stopped at
the mill-yard and brought them in.
Deputy U. S. Marshall, Le Roux, of
Bay City, came after them last Fri-
day.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS, made miserable by that
terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for
you.

CATARH RHEUM, health and sweet breath
secured by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 60
cents. Nasal Injector free. For sale by N. H. Traver.

If anyone of our readers desire to
know how to have an enjoyable sleigh-
ride, ask Surveyor Newman, or E.
Gray, book-keeper for Blodgett &
Byrnes. They say the proper thing is
to start with a buggy and break down,
load the robes, cushions, etc., on the
horses and walk four miles, call up a
good-natured mossback and hitch the
team to an old stone boat with hay-
wire and get into town, ten miles from
starting point, in eight hours.

About thirty gentlemen were royally
entertained last evening by Mr. and
Mrs. Wild at a progressive eucher party
at the Grayling House. An enjoy-
able affair in every way, and especial-
ly so in the dining room exercises.

SHILOH'S VITALIZER is what you need for
Consumption, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness and all
symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents
per bottle.

GROUP, whooping cough and Bronchitis
immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. For sale
by N. H. Traver.

We confess to some surprise in look-
ing over samples of job work done in
various parts of the country by our
patrons that so much is sent into large
cities, instead of being given to the
home printer, who would do it equally
as well and probably at no greater cost.
If the printer in your town does good

work don't starve him out. Patronize
him and thus help him, as every issue
of his paper is a help to your town.
The "home" printer works hard for a
living and buys the food and clothing
for himself and family at the home
market. Buy your job work of him.
He deserves your patronage and it
should come to him plentiful.—Detroit
Dash.

THAT HACKING COUGH can be so quickly
cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it.

WILL YOU SUFFER with Dyspepsia and Liver
Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed
to cure you. For sale by N. H. Traver.

Grayling Exchange Bank.

The Grayling Exchange Bank is a
fixed fact. Mr. J. Staley, Jr., of Caro,
having decided to locate at this place.
There, not being a vacant room in
town, we have vacated the west room
of the AVALANCHE office, which is be-
ing fitted up for his use till spring
when adequate quarters will be secured.

Mr. Staley comes to us fully endor-
sed by those who know him, as a gentle-
man of culture a thorough business
man and with sufficient capital to car-
ry out his designs. As such he is wel-
come here, and we congratulate our
citizens on the acquisition to our so-
ciety and business.

For lame back, side, or chest, use Shiloh's Po-
tious Plaster. Price 25 cents.

SHILOH'S COUGH and Consumption Cure is
sold by us on a guarantee. It cures Consump-
tion. For sale by N. H. Traver.

This is Business.

J. M. Ashley, of Toledo, who knows
what he's talking about, says the To-
ledo and Ann Arbor railroad, now run-
ning to Mt. Pleasant will be pushed
north to Clare early in the spring, and
thence north to Mackinaw. This is
business with a big B, for Grayling
if we are not caught napping. Glance
at the map and see the route from
Clare to Harrison, thence north touch-
ing Houghton and Higgins lakes on
the west to Grayling. We believe it
can be brought here during 1887.
Shall it be done?

Card of Thanks.

To the kind friends who have so gen-
erously come to our aid, in this our
time of need, we extend our sincere
and heartfelt thanks. What to us is
the most severe trial of our lives, has
proved conclusively, that in no place
can be found a more warm-hearted
people nor none more ready and will-
ing to respond to the call of charity.

May God bless and prosper and re-
store unto each and all four fold, is
the earnest prayer of Mr. and Mrs. J.
S. Harrington.

"Did you ever see a man
Who could not tell you just the plan
On which a paper should be run?
So perfect and complete,
So very nice and neat—
What the editor should say,
And what he should not do—
He will tell it all to you,
And you will find it fun—
The way he lays it out,
And the way he talks about
The things that he would do,
If he were only you.
Everybody he would please,
Let him try for a week
And I am sure that he would seek
Rest for troubles that are real,
Losing sight of his ideal."

Farmer's Institute.

We are unable this week to give the
complete program to be followed at the
coming institute to be held Jan. 31,
and Feb. 1.

The institute will be assembled at
7 p.m. of the first day and after a
brief statement by the chairman,
a lecture will be given, probably, by
Prof. McLouth. On Tuesday the fol-
lowing papers will be submitted, each
followed by discussions by the farmers
which will take the form of a regular
"love feast" each giving actual experi-
ence rather than theory:
Grain raising on the Plains—J. Steck-
ert.

Root Crops—Thos. Lound.
Grass and forage crops—J. G. Marsh.
Corn—N. H. Evans.
Small Fruits—G. W. Love.
Plowing—W. C. Johnson.
Live Stock—H. Head.
Buckwheat—J. P. Hanna.
Fruit—Alex. Wayne.

Comparative expenses of Hardwood
or Plains Farms—P. Hoyt.

These discussions will be followed
by Dr. Kedzie on the chemical analy-
sis and needs of our soil. And by a
lecture from another of the faculty on
our native plants, and their relation to
those we desire to introduce.

It is proposed that our farmers bring
specimens of their products of all
kinds, fruits, grain and vegetables.
The Opera House has been secured
and it is earnestly hoped that all who
are interested in the Agricultural de-
velopment of this section will be on
hand to make this the leading institute
of the State for the year.

A. J. Rose and O. Palmer of Gray-
ling, are appointed as executive com-
mittee of local arrangements.

St. Nicholas for January.

Which is issued December 27, is really
not so much a New Year's number as
it is a second part of the Christmas
number.

The article, "Miller and the Chil-
dren," by Ripley Hitchcock, with its
numerous illustrations by the great
peasant painter, and the curious little
sketches, never before published, made
by him to amuse his grandchildren.
The second of the "Four Great
English Schools" series, gives a keen
insight into the manners and customs
of boys to-day and long ago in the
greatest of all the English schools.

Frances Hodgson Burnett's new
short serial, "The Story of Prince
Fairfoot," is continued. Frank R.
Stockton, in the second half of his
latest shipwreck story, explains where-
in it he had "A Fortunate Opening" for
the hero, and "Juan and Juana," in
Mrs. Bayler's serial, break away from
their Comanche captors, after a
number of exciting adventures and
hair-breadth escapes.

The number opens with an old-time
poem by Edith M. Thomas, charmingly
illustrated and illustrated by Regi-
nald B. Birch, the work of whose ele-
gant pencil is also seen in the drawings
for two bright poems, "The Gallery
Cat," by Margaret Vandegrift, and
"When Grandpa was a Little Boy," by
Malcolm Douglas.

There are also more "Brownies," by
Palmer Cox, and contributions by
Geo. Foster Barnes, John G. Francis,
Alice Wellington Rollins, and others.

A western newspaper tells its readers
how "to mind their P's" in the fol-
lowing paragraph: "Persons who pat-
ronize papers should pay promptly, for
the pecuniary prospects of the press
have a peculiar power in pushing for-
ward public prosperity. If the printer
is paid promptly, and his pocket-
book kept plenteous by prompt pay-
ing patrons, he puts his pen to his paper
in peace; his paragraphs are more
pointed; he paints his pictures of pass-
ing events in more pleasant colors and
the perusal of his paper is a pleasure
to the people. Paste this piece of
proverbial philosophy in some place
where all persons can perceive it."

"Do you realize, sir," said the long-
haired passenger, "that there is one
who sees and hears all we do, who can
solve our inmost thoughts and before
whom we are but crushed and bruised
worms?"
"Give us your hand stranger," re-
plied the other. "I know just how
you feel. I'm married myself"—Etc.

Hens in Snow Time.

When the snow is knee-deep and
everything sealed with ice, hens will
require the best of care. A hen is as
helpless in the snow as though she had
no legs at all. She must have some
bare place, however, where food,
water and the dust-bath are accessible,
for she will not lay if compelled to
crouch on the floor beneath the roosts.
With snow on the ground the world is
a wilderness to hens; they have no in-
ducement to lay, and will quickly de-
fer egg production, until spring invites
them to begin. The food at such
times should be given warm and on
boards. A clean place should be made
for them, and the house rendered as
warm as possible. The main factor in
egg production in winter is warmth
and dryness. It may involve labor to
remove enough snow to afford them
room, but it must be done, or there
will be no eggs. The value of a good,
warm slug will be more appreciated by
the hens when snow is on the ground,
for they prefer to be in the open air
during the daytime, and their health
is greatly improved thereby. Ameri-
can Agriculturist for December.

Is it sound policy to patronize the
liberal advertiser. He has confidence
in his goods, or he would not risk his
money in advertising them. He can
sell cheaper than a non-advertising
competitor because he can purchase
in larger quantities and get lower
prices.—Exchange.

No Pay—No Goods.
Hereafter Express packages will not
be delivered until the charges have
been paid.

W. H. JAMES.
Sealed Proposals
WILL be received by the Board of
Superintendents of the Poor, un-
til the second Wednesday of January
1887, for supplying medicine and med-
ical attention to the indigent of Gray-
ford County.

By order of the Board,
W. A. BATTERSON,
Dec. 30, '86, w2. CLERK.

Express Notice.

All persons having express to go
south must have the same at the of-
fice by 11 a. m., if they wish it to go
the same day.

W. H. JAMES,
Agent.

Notice.

All ex-prisoners of war that may see
this notice are requested to send their
full address to the Commander of Mar-
vin Post, No. 210, G. A. R. Depart-
ment of Michigan at once, for use in
the Pension Office. By request of
JOHN C. BLACK,
Com. of Pensions.

Wood! Wood!!
I WILL deliver wood eighteen inches
in length, on board cars at Frederic,
for 80 cents per cord.

C. Z. HORTON,
Frederic, Mich.

Public Notice.

Roller's addition to Grayling is now
represented by J. S. Harder, who will
be pleased to show the premises and
make satisfactory prices to parties de-
siring to purchase.
Aug. 5, 6m, pd.

Harness! Harness!!

I AM prepared to take orders for har-
ness of every description, which
will be furnished on short notice and
at low rates. Sample harness can be
seen at the AVALANCHE Office. All
work warranted.

A. C. WILCOX.

Nov. 18, t. f.

Blacksmithing.
I have opened a Blacksmith Shop in
the Kelley building, in Grayling, where
I will do blacksmith work of every de-
scription. Horse-shoeing a specialty.
Satisfaction guaranteed.

Nov. 11, m3. OLIVER RENDE.

A RARE BARGAIN.

The following machinery, now run-
ning, and in good order, will be sold
cheap, and in good order, will be sold
cheap.

One Holly Rotary Pump, No. 4, 41
inch discharge, Drilling Pumps, (light
and loose) 18 inch diameter, 81 inch
face.
One Engine, 10 inch Cylinder, 30
inch Stroke, complete with Governor,
Patent Cylinder Oil, Piping and
Connections, 7 inch Shaft, Band
Wheel 3 feet diameter, 18 inch face,
Fly Wheel 3 feet diameter, together
with Boiler 14 feet long, 3 feet diam-
eter, 78 5-inch Tubes, complete with
Boiler Front, Steam and Water Valves,
Safety Valve, Whistle, Patent In-
jector, Piping, Connections and Steam
Jacket.

One large size Feed Water Heater
and Purifier, Armstrong & Starr, To-
ledo, make.

One Steam Pump, Northwestern
Manufacture Co., Chicago, make, Steam
Cyl. 6 inch Water Cyl. 4 1/2 inch with
Butterfly Valve and Crank connection
with Boiler Front, Steam and Water Valves,
Safety Valve, Whistle, Patent In-
jector, Piping, Connections and Steam
Jacket.

Nov. 25, t. f.

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The Niagara Falls Route.
MACKINAW DIVISION.

TOOK EFFECT NOV. 14th, '86.

GOING NORTH.

Exp.	Mail.	Freight.
Chicago, 9:00 a.m.	9:50 p.m.	A. M.
Jackson, 4:20 p.m.	5:10 p.m.	P. M.
Bay City, 10:50 a.m.	11:40 a.m.	10:00
Pontiac, 11:30 a.m.	12:20 p.m.	11:30
Alger, 11:50 a.m.	12:40 p.m.	11:50
West Branch, 12:10 p.m.	1:00 p.m.	12:10
St. Helens, 12:30 p.m.	1:20 p.m.	12:30
Jackson, 1:50 p.m.	2:40 p.m.	1:50
Grayling, 2:10 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	2:10
Grayling, 2:30 p.m.	3:20 p.m.	2:30
Yanderbilt, 3:40 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	3:40
Indian River, 4:10 p.m.	5:00 p.m.	4:10
Cheboygan, 4:30 p.m.	5:20 p.m.	4:30
Mackinaw City, 5:50 a.m.	6:40 p.m.	5:50

GOING SOUTH.

P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Mackinaw City, 10:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	10:00
Cheboygan, 10:40 a.m.	11:40 a.m.	10:40
Indian River, 11:20 a.m.	12:20 p.m.	11:20
Yanderbilt, 12:10 p.m.	1:10 p.m.	12:10
Grayling, 12:30 p.m.	1:30 p.m.	12:30
Grayling, 1:50 p.m.	2:40 p.m.	1:50
Grayling, 2:10 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	2:10
Grayling, 2:30 p.m.	3:20 p.m.	2:30
Yanderbilt, 3:40 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	3:40
Indian River, 4:10 p.m.	5:00 p.m.	4:10
Cheboygan, 4:30 p.m.	5:20 p.m.	4:30
Mackinaw City, 5:50 a.m.	6:40 p.m.	5:50

Connections—At Bay City with Bay City Divi-
sion for Leport, Port Huron, Detroit and all
points East and with Saginaw Division for Jack-
son, Port Huron, Chicago and all points West
and North. At Mackinaw City, with D. M. & N.
R. R. for Marquette and points west. At Alger
with D. B. C. & A. R. R. for Ausable and Oscoda.

O. W. RUGGLES,
Gen. Pass. & Ticket Agt., Chicago.

G. H. HICKS,
Local Ticket Agt., Grayling.

Detroit, Mackinac and
MARQUETTE R. R.

Time Table.

WEST. Taking Effect. EAST.
READ DOWN. NOV. 14, '86. READ UP.

P. M. LV. AR. A. M.
DETROIT. 11:30

A. M. A. M. LV. AR. P. M. P. M.
ST. LOUIS. 8:30 8:30

10:15 10:15 PALMS 7:41 7:41
10:30 10:30 NEWBURY 7:54 7:54
10:45 10:45 BURLINGTON 8:14 8:14
11:00 11:00 MONTICELLO 8:27 8:27
11:15 11:15 SEELY 8:40 8:40
11:30 11:30 WASH. 8:53 8:53
11:45 11:45 BURLINGTON 9:06 9:06
12:00 12:00 SEELY 9:19 9:19
12:15 12:15 MONTICELLO 9:32 9:32
12:30 12:30 PALMS 9:45 9:45
12:45 12:45 ST. LOUIS 9:58 9:58
1:00 1:00 DETROIT 10:11 10:11

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12:50 12:50 MARQUETTE 2:00
1:05 1:05 NEWBURY 2:13
1:20 1:20 BURLINGTON 2:26
1:35 1:35 MONTICELLO 2:39
1:50 1:50 SEELY 2:52
2:05 2:05 WASH. 3:05
2:20 2:20 BURLINGTON 3:18
2:35 2:35 SEELY 3:31
2:50 2:50 PALMS 3:44
3:05 3:05 ST. LOUIS 3:57
3:20 3:20 DETROIT 4:10

CONNECTIONS—At St. Louis, with the
Missouri Pacific and Great Northern
railroads. At St. Louis, with the
Hawkeye, Valley, and all points on
Chicago & Northwestern R.R.
At St. Louis, with the Chicago & North-
western R.R. for Chicago, St. Paul, Minn.,
and all points on that line.

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